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Examiner: <u>Graham, Mark S.</u> Art Unit: <u>3711</u>

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IV.	AMENDMENTS		
		Cancel in this application original claims 1-29, 38-39 and 50-107 of the prior application before calculating the filing fee. (At least one original independent claim must be retained for filing purposes if no new claims are added in a preliminary amendment.)	
		A Preliminary Amendment is enclosed. (Claims added by Amendment must be numbered consecutively beginning with the number next following the highest numbered original claim in the prior application.)	
V.	RELATE BACK - 35 USC § 120		
	$\boxtimes$	Relate back information included in preliminary amendment.	
		Please amend the specification as follows:	
		With respect to the prior co-pending U.S. application from which this application claims benefit under 35 USC § 120, the inventor(s) in this application is (are) [37 CFR 1.53(b)(1)]:	
		the same.	
		less than those named in the prior application and it is requested that the following inventor(s) identified above for the prior application be deleted [see 37 CFR §§1.33(b) AND 1.63(d)(2)]:	
		[Name(s) of inventor(s) to be deleted]	
VI.	METI	ETHOD OF PAYMENT OF FEES	
		Attached is a check in the amount of	
		Charge Jones Day's Deposit Account No. 50-2468 in the amount of \$	
	$\boxtimes$	Not attached. No filing fee is submitted. [This and the surcharge required by 37 CFR § 1.16(e) can be paid subsequently.]	
VII.	AUTH	IORIZATION TO CHARGE ADDITIONAL FEES	
	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit Jones Day's Deposit Account No. 50-2468 for any over payment of fees and to charge the following additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 50-2468:		
	$\boxtimes$	37 CFR § 1.16 (Filing fees and excess claims fees)	
	$\boxtimes$	37 CFR § 1.17 (Application processing fees)	
	$\boxtimes$	37 CFR § 1.21 (Assignment recordation fees)	

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# VIII. POWER OF ATTORNEY & CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS

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	The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.  The original power does not appear in the original papers, but was filed on February 8, 2001 in prior application Serial No. 09/663,598 with Applicants' Response to the Notice To File Missing Parts dated October 30, 2000. A copy of that original Power is enclosed herewith. Subsequently, in October of 2002, the Correspondence Address and Practitioner of Record for application Serial No. 09/663,598 was transferred to Customer No. 34026. As set forth below, all correspondence relating to this application should be sent to Customer Number 34026.  A new power has been executed and is attached.		
Please	send all correspondence to C	ustomer Number 34026:	
	34026	JONES DAY	
	PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE	555 W. Fifth Street, Suite 4600 Los Angeles, CA 90013-1025 Tel.: (213) 489-3939	
Please direct all inquiries to Yasser M. El-Gamal, at the above Customer Number and address.			
MAIN	TENANCE OF CO-PEND	ENCY OF PRIOR APPLICATION	
	A Petition for an Extension of Time with fee has been filed to extend the term in the pending <b>prior</b> application until at least January 16, 2004, the date of filing of this continuing application. A copy of the petition for extension of time in the <b>prior</b> application is attached hereto.		
	A conditional petition for extension of time is being filed in the pending <b>prior</b> application. A copy of the conditional petition for extension of time in the <b>prior</b> application is attached.		

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## X. ABANDONMENT OF PRIOR APPLICATION

Please abandon the prior application at a time while the prior application is pending or when the petition for extension of time or to revive in that application is granted and when this application is granted a filing date so as to make this application copending with said prior application. At the same time, please add the words "now abandoned" to the amendment of the specification set forth in the Preliminary Amendment, noted in Item V above, that accompanies this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 16, 2004

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Title of person authorized to sign on behalf of assignee

Assignment recorded in PTO on February 28, 2001, Reel 011532, Frame 0090. (copy attached)

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Inventor: Goldsmith, Edward M. et al. Serial No.: 09/663,598 Filed: September 15, 2000 For: Hockey Stick	)  Examiner: Graham, Mark S. ) )
Prior Docket No.: 254/154 US Current Docket No.: 949797-100013 Customer No.: 34026	

#### PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

A Notice of Appeal in the above-identified patent application was filed (via Express Mail) on July 16, 2003 and received by the U.S. Patent Office on July 22, 2003. Transmitted herewith is a Petition for an Extension of Time for the above-referenced patent application. A Return Receipt Postcard accompanies this filing.

# CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 C.F.R. §1.10)

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service on the date shown below with sufficient postage as 'Express Mail Post Office To Addressee' in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR  $\boxtimes$ § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

	EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
·	1 month 2 months 3 months 4 months 5 months	\$55.00 \$210.00 \$475.00 \$740.00 \$1,005.00	\$110.00 \$420.00 \$950.00 \$1,480.00 \$2,010.00
	An extension for is deducted from requested.	_ months has already been the total fee due for the	en secured and the fee paid therefor of e total months of extension now
$\boxtimes$	Extension fee due with	this Request <b>\$1,480.00</b>	<u>.</u>
$\boxtimes$	If an additional extensi	on of time is required, p	lease consider this a petition therefor.
	A check in the amount	of is enclosed to	cover the above fee(s).
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	for any fees required u	nder 37 CFR §§ 1.16 and	es Day's Deposit Account No. 50-2468 d 1.17 that are not covered, in whole or edit any overpayments to said Deposit
	Respectfully submitted,		
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